



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION MAILED 03.01.2006

This communication is in response to the Office Action mailed 03.01.2006 in which claims 1 - 16 are subject to a restriction and/or election requirement.

A Petition for an Extension of Time for three months, with an appropriate fee, is enclosed.

AMENDMENTS TO THE SPECIFICATION. None.

AMENDMENTS TO THE CLAIMS. None.

AMENDMENTS TO THE DRAWINGS. None.

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